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Subject: Re: really dumb widget question

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Okay, this has been fixed for IDL 8.3. Here's the documentation for the "What's New":

#### Event handling while debugging

In the past, IDL would not sent widget events when you were stopped within a routine. Now, by default, IDL sends widget events even when stopped within a routine. This allows you to use graphics and widget applications while debugging.

There is a new system variable, `!DEBUG_PROCESS_EVENTS`, that can be set to 0 to disable this behavior, or to 1 to enable this behavior. The default value is 1.

Cheers,

Chris

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